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The Hot Sheet - A Disciplinary Summary

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A monthly summary of disciplinary matters for the Medical Board of California and the following boards and committee:

- Physical Therapy Board of California
- Physician Assistant Committee
- · Board of Podiatric Medicine
- · Board of Psychology

DECISIONS

Physician & Surgeon

ALFANO, Jose Angel, M.D.

Kindsbach, Germany License number: C-41291 Stipulated decision effective: 3/3/2003 Revoked, stayed, 35 months probation.

AVEDIAN, Victor V., M.D.

Oceanside, CA License number: A-19464 Stipulated decision effective: 3/24/2003 Public Letter of Reprimand: 3/24/2003

BERDAKIN, Daniel G., M.D.

Los Angeles, CA License number: A-35536 Decision effective: 3/28/2003 Public reprimand issued.

CHESKI, Peter Joseph, M.D.

Beverly Hills, CA License number: A-63634 Stipulated decision effective: 3/10/2003 Revoked, stayed, 2 years probation.

COOPER, Richard Paul, M.D.

St. James, NY License Number: G-65857 Decision effective: 3/3/2003 License revoked.

DRAMOV, Borina, M.D.

San Francisco, CA License number: G-11513 Decision effective: 3/5/2003 Revoked, stayed, 4 years probation.

GIDDINGS, John A., M.D.

Duarte, CA License number: A-22107

Decision effective: 3/20/2003

License revoked.

GOODMAN, George A., M.D.

Santa Rosa, CA License Number: C-28957 Stipulated decision effective: 3/3/2003 Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation.

HOGAN, Walter L., Jr., M.D.

Santa Barbara, CA License number: G-8075

Stipulated decision effective: 10/23/2002 Public Reprimand issued: 3/18/2003

KAFI, Alex A., M.D.

West Bloomfield, MI License number: A-37328 Stipulated decision effective: 3/21/2003 Revoked, stayed, 7 years probation with 6 months actual suspension, and 120 days credit.

KNAPP, David Paul, M.D.

San Diego, CA License number: G-33943 Stipulated decision effective: 3/10/2003 Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation with 30 days actual suspension.

PARK, John H., M.D.

New York, NY License number: G-19634 Decision effective: 3/6/2003 License revoked.

STURMAN, John K., M.D.

La Habra, CA License number: C-41528 Stipulated decision effective: 3/28/2003 Public Letter of Reprimand issued.

WAISMAN, Norberto Silvio, M.D.

Chula Vista, CA License number: A-35479 Stipulated decision effective: 3/27/2003 Public Reprimand issued.

ZYLANOFF, Phillipa Louise, M.D.

Beverly Hills, MI License number: G-34223

Stipulated decision effective: 3/28/2003

Probation extended 2 years.

Physician Assistant

MCKININ, Michael L.

Chico, CA

License number: PA-13460 Decision effective: 3/10/2003

License revoked.

STUTZMAN, Laurie S.

Chino Hills, CA License number: PA-13014 Decision effective: 3/10/2003 License revoked.

Podiatrist

BERNSTONE, Martin Gerald, D.P.M.

Reseda, CA License number: E-1690

Stipulated decision effective: 3/3/2003 Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation.

Physical Therapist

JOHNSON, Gregory Scott

Davis. CA

License number: PT-17250 Decision effective: 3/13/2003 Revoked, stayed, 18 months probation.

Psychologist

ARDEN, Jeffrey, Ph.D.

West Covina, CA License number: PSY-9687 Stipulated decision effective: 3/30/2003 Revoked, stayed, 2 years probation.

GIORDANO, Arlene S., Ph.D.

Sonora, CA

License number: PSY-9078

Stipulated decision effective: 3/12/2003 Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation.

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SURRENDERS WHILE CHARGES PENDING

These license surrenders were accepted by the relevant agency in lieu of further proceedings.

Physician & Surgeon

DARM, Jerry Roy, M.D.

Lake Oswego, OR License number: G-44187 Surrender of License: 3/13/2003

PAGE, Gary Wayne, M.D.

Ogden, UT

License number: A-67353 Surrender of License: 3/31/2003

THOMPSON, Steven Howard, M.D.

Poway, CA

License number: A-64652 Surrender of License: 3/5/2003

THORP, Richard H., M.D.

Fresno, CA

License number: G-14937 Surrender of License: 3/5/2003

YANNESSA, Noel A., M.D.

Tucson, AZ

License number: G-10922 Surrender of License: 3/24/2003

YOUNG, Bing Hin, M.D.

Hayward, CA

License number: A-16561 Surrender of License: 3/19/2003

Podiatrist

SHVARTSMAN, Stanly M., D.P.M.

Los Angeles, CA License number: E-3909 Surrender of License: 3/12/2003

RECENT ACCUSATIONS FILED

Accusations are charges and allegations which still must undergo rigorous tests of proof at later administrative hearings.

Physician & Surgeon

AARON, Deborah Lyn, M.D.

Ketchikan, AK

License number: G-70081 Accusation filed: 3/12/2003

ARAM, Davar, M.D.

Bakersfield, CA

License number: A-46392 Accusation filed: 3/25/2003 ATTAI, Deanna J., M.D.

Glendale, CA

License number: G-85407 Accusation filed: 3/19/2003

BARRON, Adam Michael, M.D.

Los Angeles, CA

License number: G-62338 Accusation filed: 3/26/2003

BHASKARA, Nagaraja Gupta, M.D.

Lancaster, CA

License number: A-36798 Accusation filed: 3/18/2003

BUSH, Robert Dickerson, M.D.

Grandview, WA

License number: G-34938 Accusation filed: 3/20/2003

GELLER, Paul Joseph, M.D.

Beverly Hills, CA

License number: A-19435 Accusation filed: 3/20/2003

GRANT, Marshall William, M.D.

Indio, CA

License number: A-40835 Accusation filed: 3/18/2003

HAMZA, Mohsen, M.D.

West Los Angeles, CA License number: A-43543 Accusation filed: 3/20/2003

HARLAN, Steven Lee, M.D.

Des Moines, IA

License number: C-50029 Accusation filed: 3/20/2003

JATANA, Heidi Jo, M.D.

Redondo Beach, CA License number: G-68431 Accusation filed: 3/7/2003

JEFFERSON, Roland S., M.D.

Los Angeles, CA

License number: C-28340 Accusation filed: 3/17/2003

KORZELIUS, John Michael, M.D.

Camarillo, CA

License number: G-49388 Accusation filed: 3/24/2003

LIMPIN, Juanita E., M.D.

Covina. CA

License number: A-22422 Accusation filed: 3/27/2003

MICHAEL, Wafa Fahmy, M.D.

Fontana, CA

License number: A-26448 Accusation filed: 3/4/2003

MYSKO, David E., M.D.

Newhall, CA

License number: G-14939 Accusation filed: 3/18/2003 PARSONS, C. Lowell, M.D.

San Diego, CA

License number: G-33834 Accusation filed: 3/24/2003

POWELL, Richard Wayne, M.D.

Redding, CA

License number: A-46496 Accusation filed: 3/18/2003

PRIVITERA, James R., Jr., M.D.

Covina, CA

License number: C-30445 Accusation filed: 3/31/2003

RUJA, Richard Gary, M.D.

Napa, CA

License number: G-28684 Accusation filed: 3/10/2003

SMITH, Lawrence Frederick, M.D.

Lancaster, CA

License number: A-36463 Accusation filed: 3/19/2003

WHITNEY, Eugene B., M.D.

Pleasant Hill, CA

License number: G-3739 Accusation filed: 3/13/2003

WYATT, Arthur Jacob, Jr., M.D.

Corning, CA

License number: C-16450 Accusation filed: 3/21/2003

ZACHARIAH, Abraham, M.D.

Los Gatos, CA

License number: A-37144 Accusation filed: 3/24/2003

ZULFACAR, Mary, M.D.

Long Beach, CA

License number: A-35358 Accusation filed: 3/13/2003

Physician Assistant

ONOFRE, John R.

Norwalk, CA

License number: PA-14766 Accusation filed: 3/5/2003

QUATTRO, Cynthia Louise

Watsonville, CA

License number: PA-12134 Accusation filed: 3/3/2003

Poditrist

TINKLE, Jon Dennis, D.P.M.

West Hollywood, CA License number: E-3974 Accusation filed: 3/14/2003

Psychologist

DELOYE, Gerald J., Ph.D.

Eau Claire, WI

License number: PSY-14053 Accusation filed: 3/11/2003

HARRIS, Michael Earl, Ph.D.

Whittier, CA

License number: PSY-6253 Accusation filed: 3/12/2003

PEDERSEN, Loren Eliot, Ph.D.

Walnut Creek, CA License number: PSY-4958 Accusation filed: 3/18/2003

ACCUSATION WITHDRAWN OR DISMISSED

Accusations "Withdrawn" means the formal charges were dropped before the matter went to an administrative hearing (often after licensee has passed a competency examination). Accusation "Dismissed" means the matter went to litigation and the respondent/licensee prevailed either at the administrative level or at the judicial level.

Physician and Surgeon

AHMED, Khalid Bashir, M.D.

Pico Riveria, CA License number: A-33354

Accusation withdrawn: 3/28/2003

KAMAL, Anupam Shyam, M.D.

Safety Harbor, FL License number: A-54247 Accusation withdrawn: 3/20/2003

MANOLESCU, Michael Roland, M.D.

Redondo Beach, CA License number: G-55086 Accusation withdrawn: 3/12/2003

PARKER, Rodney A., M.D.

Fontana, CA License number: G-45375

Accusation dismissed: 3/4/2003

TYAU, Edward Steven, M.D. Riverside, CA

License number: G-67818 Accusation dismissed: 3/25/2003

VIJUMS. Ann Dace. M.D.

Panorama City, CA License number: G-42834 Accusation dismissed: 3/10/2003

Psychologist

LUBELL, Aimee, Ph.D.

Rocklin, CA

License number: PSY-14098 Accusation dismissed: 3/25/2003

ACCUSATION & PETITIONS TO REVOKE PROBATION FILED

A Petition to Revoke Probation is filed when a licensee is charged with violation of a prior disciplinary decision.

Physician & Surgeon

WARWICK, Scott William, M.D.

Watertown, SD

License number: G-76469 Accusation and Petition to Revoke Probation filed: 3/21/2003

Probationary License

Where good cause exists to deny a license, the licensing agency has the option to issue a conditional license subject to probationary terms and conditions.

Physician & Surgeon

BERTSCH, Thomas Wayne

Cypress, CA License number: None Stipulated decision effective: 3/20/2003 5 year probationary license issued.

STATEMENT OF ISSUES DECISIONS

Physician & Surgeon

LAKNER, George Stephen

Loma Linda, CA License number: None Decision effective: 3/31/2003 License denied.

Registered Psychological Assistant

SCORSE, David M.

La Puente, CA License number: None Decision effective: 3/12/2003 Registration denied.

STATEMENT OF ISSUES WITHDRAWN

Physician & Surgeon

GRACIA, Edgardo

Chula Vista, CA License number: None

Statement of Issues withdrawn: 3/21/2003

These are recent disciplinary actions. The Decisions become operative on the Effective Date, except in situations where the licensee obtains a court ordered stay. This may occur after the publication of the disciplinary action in the Hot Sheet. Stay orders do not occur in stipulated decisions, which are negotiated settlements waiving court appeals. To order copies of Decisions and other documents, send your written request, including the name and license number of the licensee, to:

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